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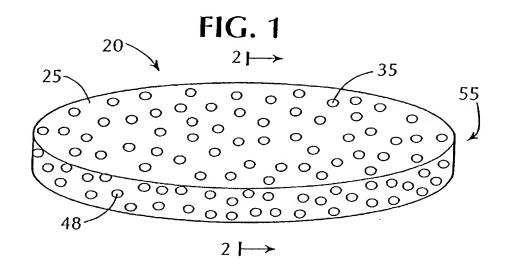
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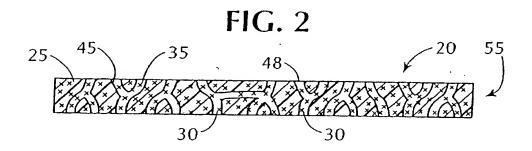
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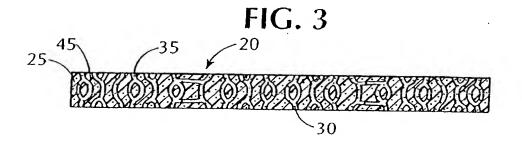
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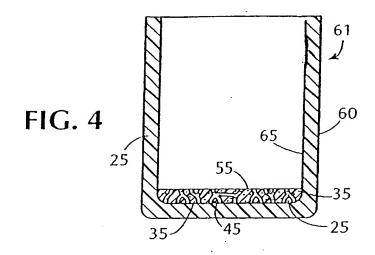
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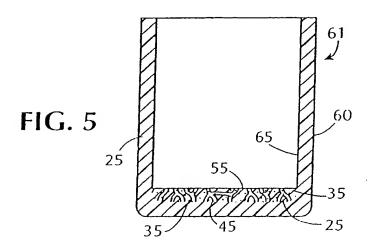
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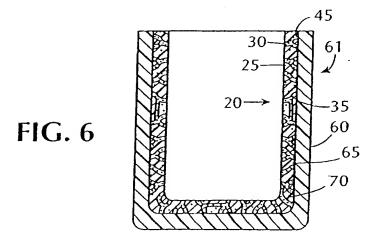


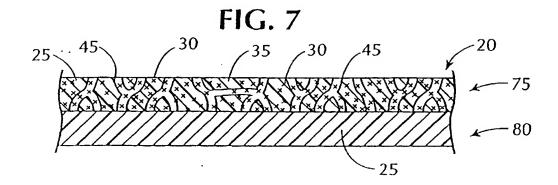


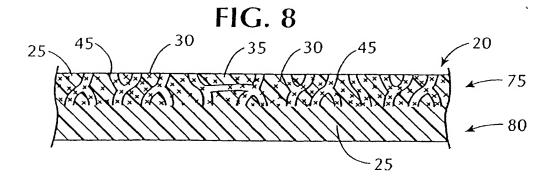


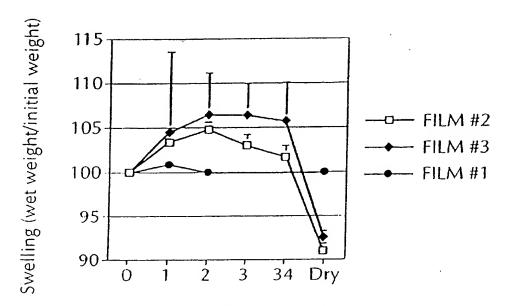












Incubation in distilled water (Days)

**FIG.** 9

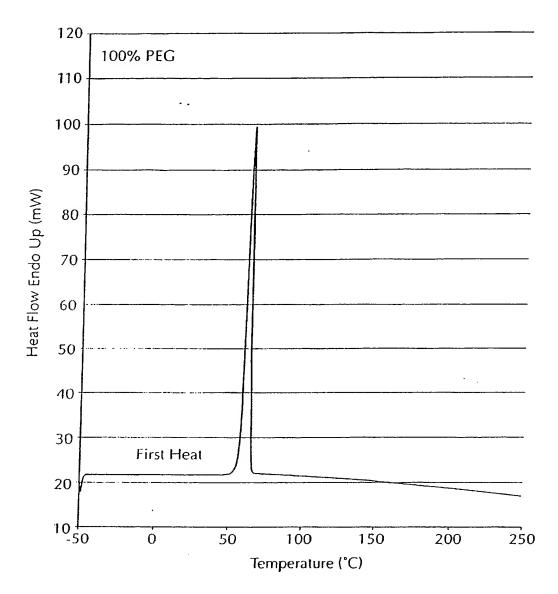


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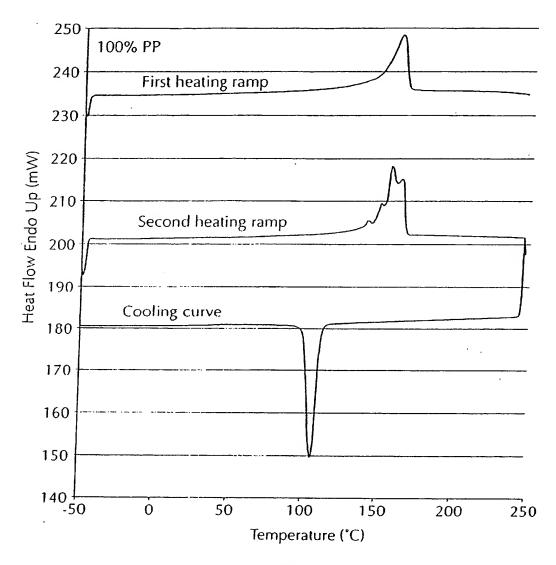


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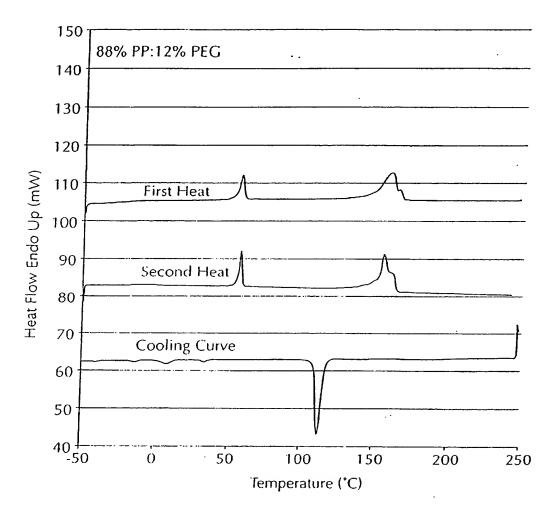


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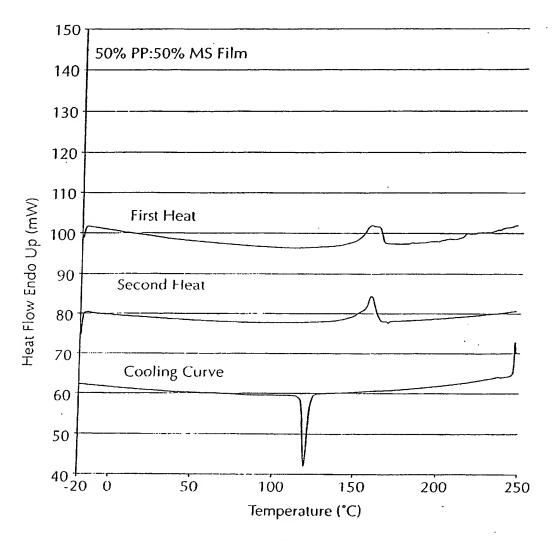


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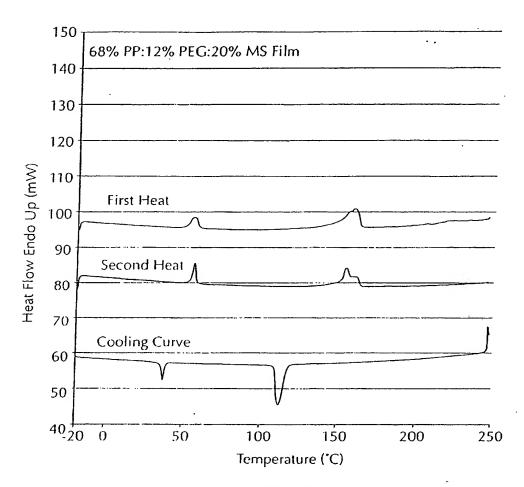


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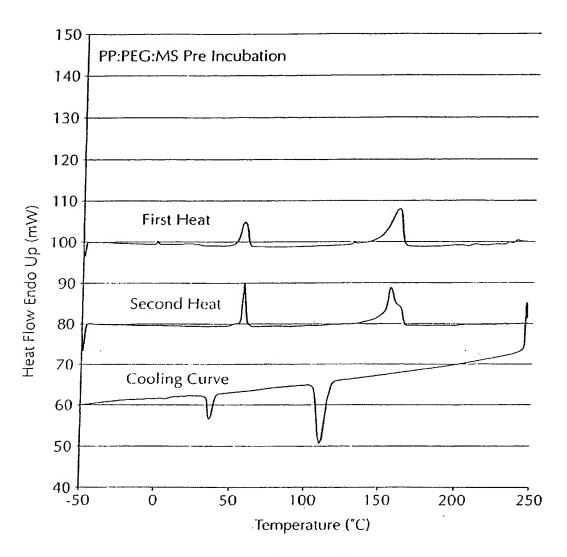


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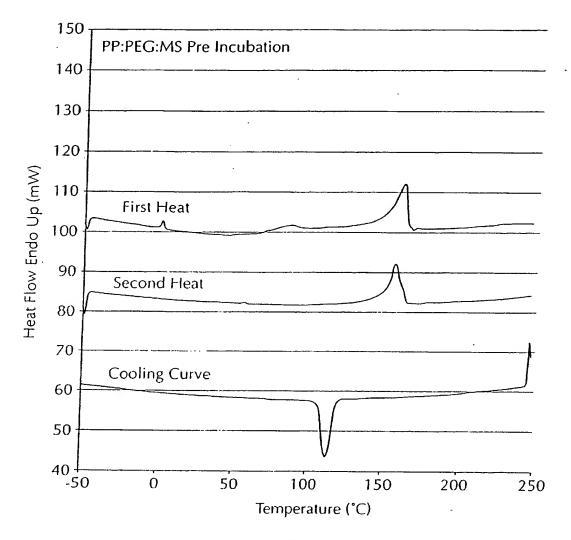


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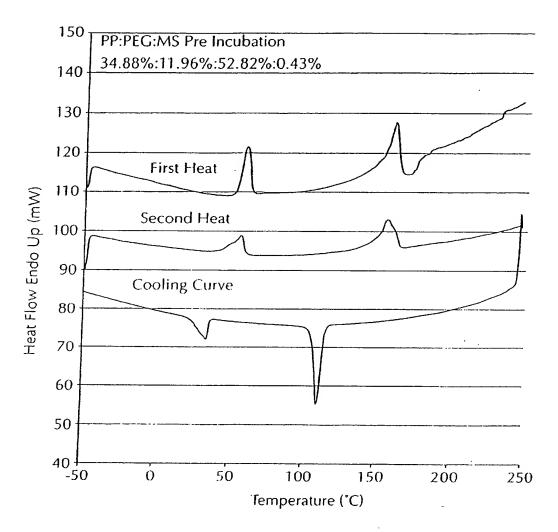


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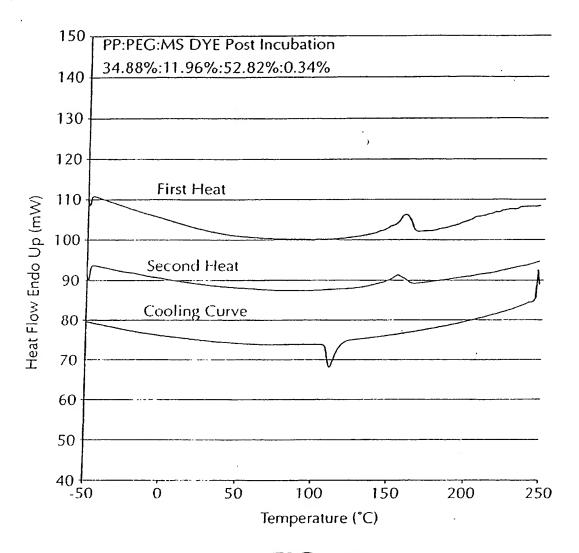


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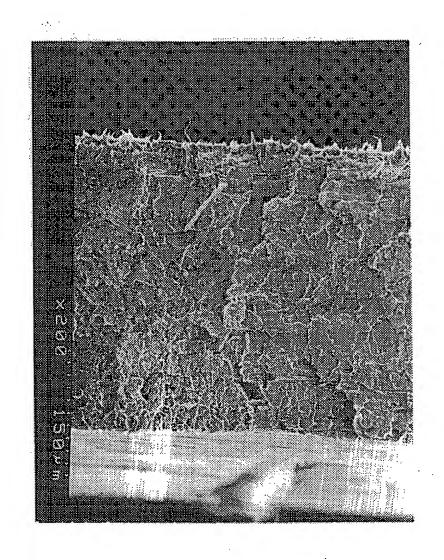


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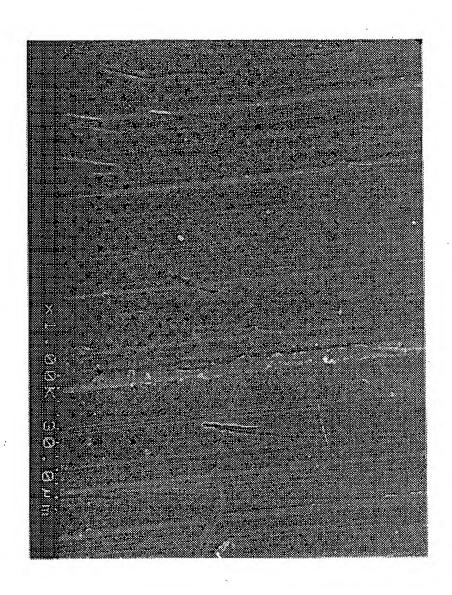


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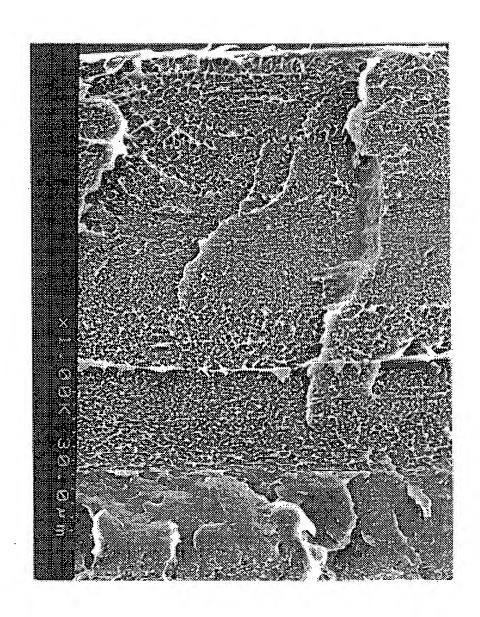


Fig. 19c



Fig. 20a

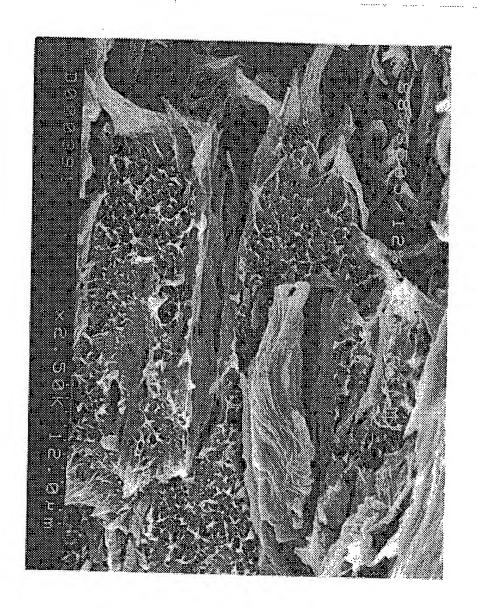


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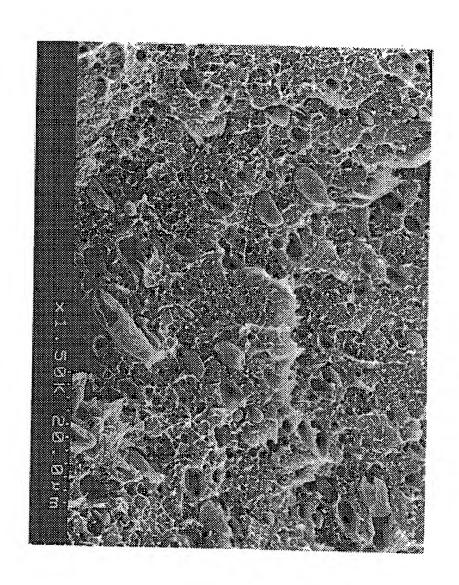


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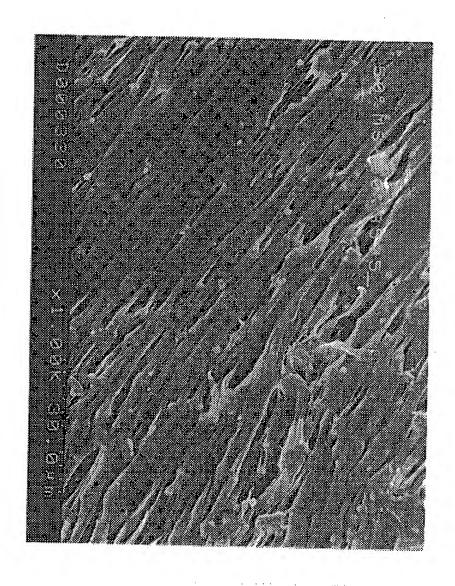


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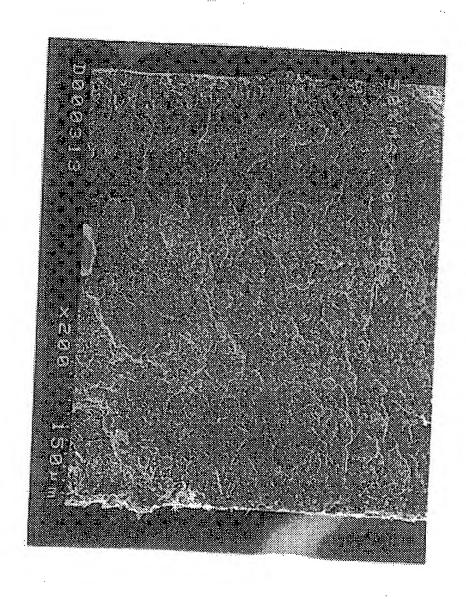


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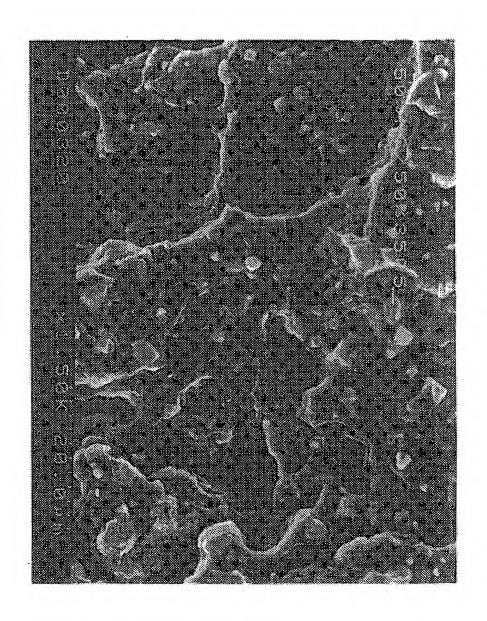
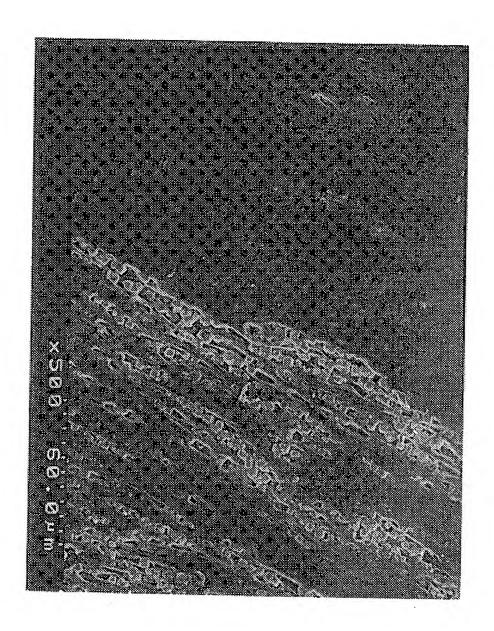


Fig. 21c



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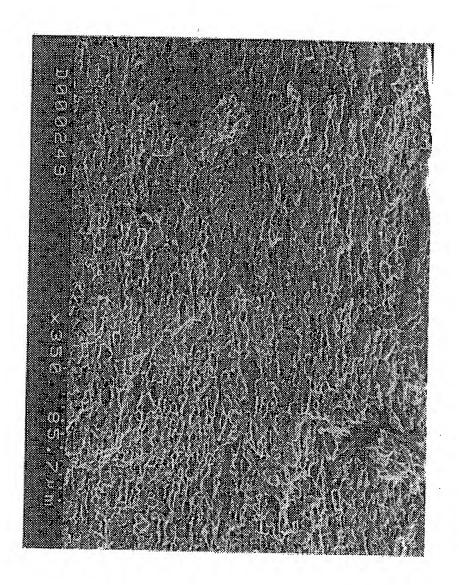


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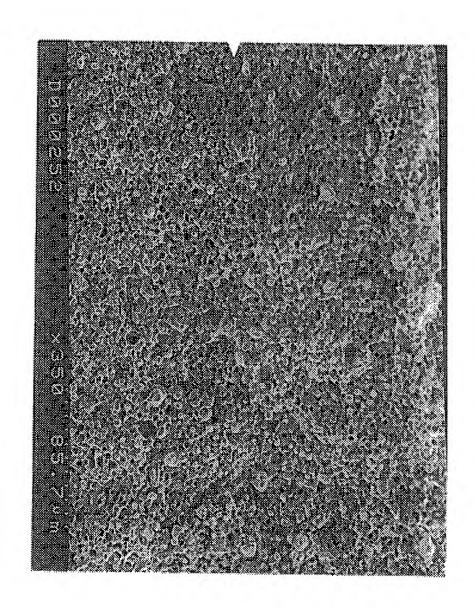


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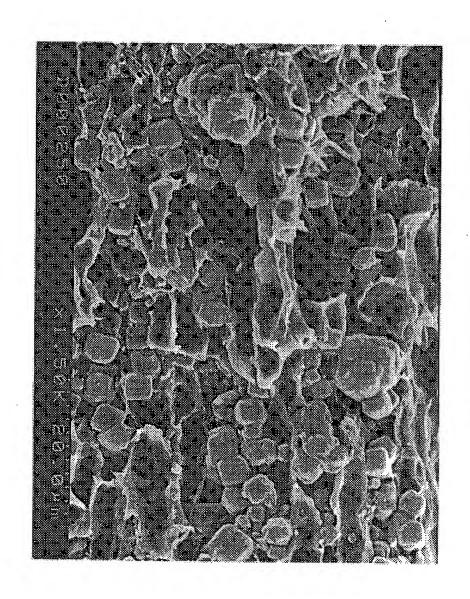
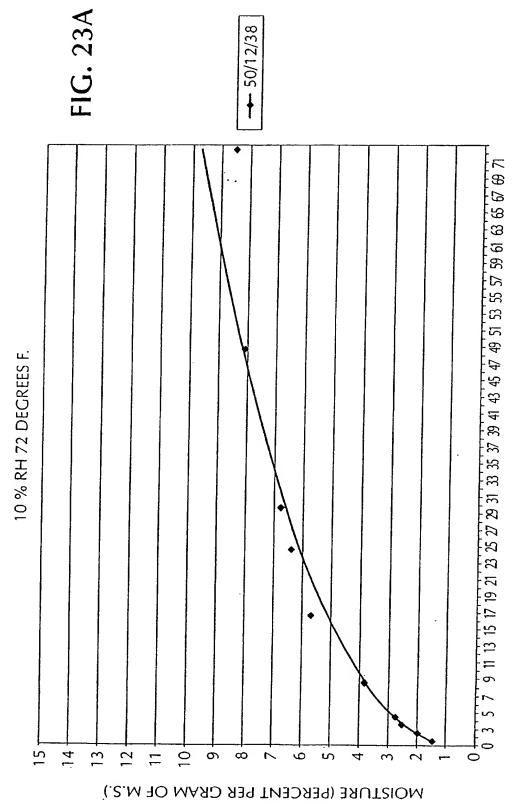


Fig. 22d



TIME (HOURS)

MOISTURE (PERCENT PER GRAM OF M.S.)